



**Wisconsin Heights School District
Summer Program 2018**

3/8/18

Dear Parent(s):

Welcome to Wisconsin Heights Summer Program 2018! Wisconsin Heights is proud to announce our new and improved summer school enrichment program. We hope to provide our students with an opportunity to be engaged in activities that will extend, enrich and reinforce their learning through the summer months.

Our Summer Program will take place at the Middle School with classes from 8:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m., Monday-Thursday. There will be two summer school sessions. Session One will run from June 18th - July 3rd. During Session One we will be offering **enrichment and remedial classes** for students entering 1st - 8th grade. Classes will be held from 8:00-9:15, 9:30-10:45, and 10:45 – 12:00 with an all school snack/breakfast break from 9:15-9:30. Kindergarten Jumpstart will run from 8:00-12:00 for the full 5 weeks. You will find course descriptions in the summer school brochure. Session Two will run from July 9th - July 19th. Session Two will offer **only** remedial classes. **New this year is that all our remedial classes will be offered to students by teacher recommendation only.**

Also NEW this year: Registration will be ONLINE and classes will be filled on a FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE basis. Classes will fill up, so register early. Registration will open on March 19th at 6:00 p.m. and run through May 14th at 6:00 p.m. It will be important to have your Family Access account activated **prior** to registration.

We are excited about all our new enrichment options and hope you find something that will fill your child's summer with learning, discovery and fun. Please consider taking advantage of these opportunities by enrolling your child in our summer school program.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me or call Black Earth Elementary at 767-2251.

Thank you.

Josie Geishirt
Summer School Principal
jgeishirt@wisheights.k12.wi.us

General Summer School Information

Dates & Times:

Session One: Enrichment & Remedial

June 18th - July 3rd (10 days) (No school on July 4th and 5th)

Monday - Thursday Period One: 8:00-9:15 Snack/Breakfast Break:

9:15-9:30 Period Two: 9:30-10:45 Period Three: 10:45-12:00

Session Two: Remedial Only

July 9th - July 19th (8 days) Monday - Thursday 8:00-12:00

Contact Information:

2018 Summer Program - Wisconsin Heights Middle School

Office Hours: M-R 7:45-12:15 phone #: 608-767-2586

Summer School Principal: Josie Geishirt

Summer School Secretary: Jamie Van Den Bergh

Registration Information:

Summer Program brochures will be sent home on March 8th.

It is important to log into Skyward and update your student's Family

Access account prior to registration. See below for account set-up directions. Registration for classes **ONLINE** is on a **first come first serve basis**, classes will fill up so register early. **Registration opens March 19th at 6:00 p.m.** and will close on May 14th at 6:00 p.m.. See attached **Enrollment Directions** for further information on how to enroll.

Open lab for registration:

We will hold an open lab in the Middle school LMC for anyone without computer/internet access on March 19th from 6:00-8:00 p.m. There will also be a computer available in each school's office to use during the school day for registration purposes.

Paper Registration:

Families may choose to use our paper registration process; however, **you will not be guaranteed your 1st choice of classes** because classes may fill up before registration materials are received and entered. To register by paper, fill out the registration form, include your payment and send back to your child's respective school.

Out of district families:

Out of district families are encouraged to attend Wisconsin Heights Summer School program. Out of district families may register beginning March 28th. Please follow the paper registration directions. You will be asked to provide an immunization record and any medical or health information.

Grade Levels:

Use grade level child will be **entering in the fall.**

Confirmations:

You can view and print your schedule via our online registration process. Schedules may change due to cancellations. You will be notified by email or phone if a class is cancelled by us. Schedules will also be sent home in early June.

Schedule Changes:

Contact Josie Geishirt at jgeishirt@wisheights.k12.wi.us to withdraw your child or to make a change to your child's schedule.

Attendance:

If parents/guardians know their child is going to be absent, they should call the school secretary at 767-2586.

Fees & Payments:

Please make payment for summer school classes ASAP after registration and no later than May 14th. Return payments and the registration form

to your child's school or mail payments to:

Wisconsin Heights Summer School, Mazomanie Elementary School, 314 Anne St., Mazomanie Wi, 53560. Make checks payable to WHSD. **Be sure to include your child's full name in the memo on your check** to be sure we post the payment to the appropriate account.

Bus Transportation:

Bus transportation is available for students from both elementary schools picking up at 7:45 a.m. and dropping students off at respective schools at 12:15 p.m. daily.

Drop-off and Pick-up:

Parents should drop-off and pick-up promptly at 8:00 a.m and 12:00 p.m. at the Middle School location.

Breakfast Program:

A "grab and go" style meal will be available mid-morning during snack break. The cost of a meal is \$1.60 per day. Items such as cereal, graham crackers and juice will be served. Milk will also be available to purchase at 45 cents per carton. Please make sure sufficient funds are available in your Food Service Account at the end of the year to cover your summer school breakfast charges. If you need to send additional funds, please send a separate check from the summer school registration fee.

Snacks:

Students are encouraged to bring a nutritious snack to enjoy during the mid-morning break.

Behavior Expectations: All Summer School participants are expected to behave in a respectful, responsible and safe manner while attending any program in Wisconsin Heights School District. The summer school principal reserves the right to dismiss any participant when that participant's behavior interferes with the rights and safety of others and/or the participant's behavior is disruptive to the program.

Teacher Recommendation:

Our Fundamentals classes require recommendation from your child's classroom teacher. Letter of recommendations are attached to this brochure.

If you have questions or are experiencing difficulties with setting up your Family Access account or with our online registration process. Please contact Tammy Shaffer at tshaffer@wisheights.k12.wi.us or call 767-2586 ext. 3005

How to get your Family Access account set up:

- Go to <http://www.wisheights.k12.wi.us/>
- Click on the Skyward icon
- Click on "I am not a robot"
- Enter the email address that is on file with Skyward
 - If you do not have an email address on file please contact Tammy at our registrar's office at tshaffer@wisheights.k12.wi.us or call 767-2586 ext. 3005
- Click "submit"
- Watch your email for a message regarding resetting your password
- When you receive the email, click on the link provided
- You will be prompted to enter a new password (which will also contain your login information)
- Enter your password twice and click submit
- You now have your Family Access account set up and ready to go.

How to register ONLINE:

- Go to <http://www.wisheights.k12.wi.us/>
- Click on the Skyward icon
- Log in to your Family Access Account
- Choose the "Arena Scheduling" tab
- Select "2018-19" under the student you wish to register for classes
- You will see the classes available for your students
- Under the "Fit" column, you will see "Yes" if the class is available. Under the column "Prd" is the period of the day that the class meets. There are 3 periods in a day meaning your child(ren) could take up to 3 classes per day.
- "Seats Avail" column indicates how many seats are left before the class is full. You will also see this information under the *Ind" column, the a letter "F" means the class is full.
- After you have selected the classes, click "**Submit Schedule**". This tab will allow you to print a copy of the classes you selected as well as submit the schedule to Josie Geishirt to review, approve and lock

Session One - Three Weeks - 10 days - June 18th -July 3rd

Period One Classes: 8:00-9:15

**** All Grades listed are the grades students will be entering in the Fall ****

Teacher Recommendation only for these courses: Min 8 / Max 15

- 1st Grade Reading Fundamentals (for students entering 1st grade) - Crede
- 2nd Grade Reading Fundamentals (for students entering 2nd grade) - Moyer
- 5th Grade Reading Fundamentals (for students entering 5th grade) - Hillberry
- 6th-8th Grade Reading Fundamentals (for students entering 6th/7th/8th grade) - Schomber

Kindergarten Jumpstart (for students going into K) Kurtz
This class will run from 8:00-12:00. When registering it will automatically register you for all three periods. If you want to take it both sessions (all five weeks) **you must also register for Session Two**. Kindergarten Jumpstart is specially designed to prepare children for entering school in the fall. This class is filled with readiness lessons in math and language arts. Children are engaged in school-day routines, hands-on-centers and activities to further develop fine motor and social skills. **Min 10 / Max 20 Course Fee \$3.00**

Travel the World (1st-3rd grade) Grimm
"Travel" to different countries and learn about their culture! Learn about famous landmarks, try new foods, and create beautiful artwork from that country. Get your passport ready! **Min 10 / Max 20 Course Fee \$10.00**

Reading Fun (1st-3rd grade) Schuetz
We will explore some favorite book series (Eric Carle, Berenstain Bears, Curious George, Legos, Biscuit, etc.) or books related to a theme (butterflies, construction, etc.) each day. There will be a read aloud, independent reading time, and group activities like readers theatre, sequencing events, and fun reviews with Kahoot or Jeopardy. **Min 10 /Max 25 Course Fee \$2.00**

Mad About Music (1st-3rd grade) Watkins
Younger students will have fun with music! We will read stories about music, listen to music and dance to music. We will play games with a focus on various musical components. No musical experience necessary!
Min 10 / Max 20 No Course Fee

Inline Skating 1 (rollerblading) (3rd-4th grade) Gehrke
This course is designed for the student who wants to learn how to inline skate. During the first two weeks of the course the students will learn a variety of skating techniques including equipment use, stopping on skates, turning around on skates, and how to take corners. The students will also play a variety of games on skates during the last portion of this course. This is a great introduction course for inline skating. Skating is an inexpensive sport for the family to do over the summer months and a great way to keep kids active. **Min 15 /Max 30 Course Fee: \$20.00**

Board Games & More (3rd - 5th grade) Hingeveld
Students will have the opportunity to play board games, card games, and participate in other activities together to build problem solving and team building skills. **Min 10 / Max 20 No Course Fee**

Knifty Knitter 101 (2nd -4th grade) Sinz
Welcome to the wonderful world of knitting! Learning to knit is a lot of fun, and it's not as difficult as you might think. This class will offer the basics you need to know to get started. **Min 10 / Max 15 Course Fee \$4.00**

Under the Water (2nd-4th grade) Topp
71% of the Earth's surface is made up of water! The bodies of water on the earth are full of beauty and wonder, a separate world waiting for us to explore. We will become explorers this summer and learn about the mysteries of the waters! We will research different water animals and life through books and videos, and create amazing aquatic animal crafts. Through fun filled water themed games, experiments, and arts and crafts we will become experts on our bodies of water, especially the wonders of the oceans. **Min 10 / Max 18 Course Fee \$3.00**

Journaling and Mindfulness: (4th-6th grade) Jones
Students will engage in daily journaling and mindfulness activities during this class. They will learn calming strategies to reduce stress and anxiety in their daily lives as well as simple stretches to refocus their minds throughout the day. Please join us for a relaxing and calming way to start your day. **Min 10 / Max 20 Course Fee \$1.00**

Healthy Snacks - (3rd - 8th grade) Gullickson
Looking for ideas to eat healthy this summer? We are going to get creative in the kitchen by stepping up the typical apple or muffin into something that not only looks wonderful, but tastes out of this world. Think banana splits, power bars, monster cookies ~ gone wild with a healthy twist. You won't be hungry for the ordinary chips and French fries any longer. This class is not recommended for those with food allergies. **Min 10 / Max 18 Course Fee \$12.00**

Ceramics Art Class (5th - 8th grade) Goebel
Learn to create functional objects and fun sculptures with clay! We will make pinch pots, coil vases, and creative sculptures. We will also learn to make imagery on clay and how to glaze the finished products. **Min 10 / Max 16 Course Fee \$15.00**

Reading and Recess (5th-8th) Whalen
This class will be a fun way to read a few great books and get some exercise. We will spend about half of our time cozied up with a great book, and the other half playing games. Those games may include indoor recess games, outdoor tag games, kickball or Frisbee. We may even sneak in a fantastic read aloud book! **Min 10 / Max 20 No Course Fee**

Session One - Three Weeks - 10 days - June 18th -July 3rd
Period Two Classes: 9:30-10:45

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Teacher Recommendation only for these courses: Min 8 / Max 15

- 1st Grade Math Fundamentals (for students entering 1st grade) Crede
- 2nd Grade Math Fundamentals (for students entering 2nd grade) Moyer
- 3rd Grade Reading Fundamentals (for students entering 3rd grade) Gullickson
- 4th Grade Reading Fundamentals (for students entering 4th grade) Hingeveld

Kindergarten Jumpstart (for students going into K) Kurtz
This class will run from 8:00-12:00. When registering it will automatically register you for all three periods. If you want to take it both sessions (all five weeks) **you must also register for Session Two**. Kindergarten Jumpstart is specially designed to prepare children for entering school in the fall. This class is filled with readiness lessons in math and language arts. Children are engaged in school-day routines, hands-on-centers and activities to further develop fine motor and social skills. **Min 10 / Max 20 Course Fee \$3.00**

Math-a-Thon (1st-3rd grade) Schuetz
Let the race begin. Come have some summer fun with math facts. The race is on as we use Ninja and Rocket Math programs, use Sudoku puzzles, play with money and keep track of time along the way. We will also graph, create and solve our own summer adventures. **Min 10/Max 20 Course Fee \$3.00**

Cook Books 2: (1st-3rd grade) Sinz
Cook up some fun with this literature based cooking class. Enjoy some hands-on cooking experiences with step-by-step recipes inspired by award winning children's literature. **Min 10 /Max 16 Course Fee \$10.00**

Blast off into Space: (1st-3rd grade) Watkins
Students will blast off and explore our solar system learning about the sun, the moon, the planets and the stars before returning to Earth. We will do math, literacy, crafts and more in this "Out of this World" class.
Min 10/ Max 20 No Course Fee

Summertime Crafts and Outside Activities (2nd-4th grade) Topp
"I'm Bored," the common phrase heard from students during the summer months. In this class students will have the opportunity to participate in summer-related arts and crafts activities, outdoor activities, and even "go on a picnic." Many of the skills learned, and the activities themselves will be able to be utilized at home.
Min 10 / Max 18 Course Fee \$7.00

Coding 2: (3rd-5th grade) Whalen
Students will be using the coding program of Scratch to create games or activities. No prior coding skills required. **Min 10 / Max 25 No Course Fee**

Drawing and Painting (2nd-5th) Goebel
Explore art with drawing and painting! We will create artworks using a variety of media and techniques including paints, chalk, colored pencils, and more. Using these tools, we will create works of art inspired by the world around us and have some summer adventures too. **Min 10 / Max 20 Course Fee \$10.00**

STEM 2: Stretching your Creative Thinking: (3rd-5th grade) Jones
This STEM class will focus on using everyday objects to engineer and create projects for purpose, and to teach students how to create their own STEM challenges to share and do with friends and family. Whether it be building a tin foil boat to hold the most pennies or seeing if your DOTS house can withstand the huffing and puffing of the Big Bad Wolf, students will stretch their creative thinking skills and have fun while doing it. **Min 10 / Max 20 Course Fee \$5.00**

Famous Artists 2 (4th - 8th grade) Grimm
Learn about famous artists and their works. Recreate some of their most famous works in your own way! **Min 10/Max 20 Course Fee: \$10.00**

Perler Beads: (5th-8th grade) Schomber
Design and create some great projects like magnets, sun catchers, coasters, picture frames and more! This fun, hands-on class will let you use your creative skills and work on your fine motor skills too. Join us for a relaxed time of creating your own, individual make and take projects.
Min. 10/Max 20 Course Fee: \$6.00

Inline Skating 2 (rollerblading) (5th-8th grade) Gehrke
This course is designed for the student who wants to learn how to inline skate. During the first two weeks of the course the students will learn a variety of skating techniques including equipment use, stopping on skates, turning around on skates, and how to take corners. The students will also play a variety of games on skates during the last portion of this course. This is a great introduction course for inline skating. Skating is an inexpensive sport for the family to do over the summer months and a great way to keep kids active. **Min 15 /Max 30 Course Fee: \$20.00**

Dig Deeper in Math (5th-8th grade) Hillberry
"Dig Deeper in Math" will be a math enrichment course covering the topics of coordinate grids, data collection, and creating various graphs and charts. Advanced math students preferred.
Min 10 / Max 20 No Course Fee

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Period Three Classes: 10:45-12:00

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Teacher Recommendation only for these courses: Min 8 / Max 15

- 3rd Grade Math Fundamentals (for students entering 3rd grade) Gullickson
- 4th Grade Math Fundamentals (for students entering 4th grade) Hingeveld
- 5th Grade Math Fundamentals (for students entering 5th grade) Hillberry
- 6-8 Grade Math Fundamentals (for students entering 6th/7th/8th grade) Schomber

Kindergarten Jumpstart (for students going into K) Kurtz
This class will run from 8:00-12:00. When registering it will automatically register you for all three periods. If you want to take it both sessions (all five weeks) **you must also register for Session Two.** Kindergarten Jumpstart is specially designed to prepare children for entering school in the fall. This class is filled with readiness lessons in math and language arts. Children are engaged in school-day routines, hands-on-centers and activities to further develop fine motor and social skills.

Min 10 / Max 20 Course Fee \$3.00

Famous Artists 3 (1st-3rd grade) Grimm
Learn about famous artists and their works. Recreate some of their most famous works in your own way!

Min 10/Max 20 Course Fee \$10.00

STEM 3: Stretching your Creative Thinking: (1st-3rd grade) Jones
This STEM class will focus on using everyday objects to engineer and create projects for purpose and will incorporate favorite books. Whether it be building a tin foil boat to hold the most pennies, or seeing if your DOTS house can withstand the huffing and puffing of the Big Bad Wolf, students will stretch their creative thinking skills and have fun while doing it. **Min 10 / Max 20 Course Fee \$5.00**

Marvelous Math (1st -3rd grade) Moyer
Explore and build math skills by playing games and using manipulatives. We will focus on math games that can be played at home and even try some online games. **Min 10 / Max 20 No Course Fee**

Discovering Dr. Seuss (1st-3rd grade) Crede
Students will apply their reading and math skills through exploration of the books Dr. Seuss wrote. We will read stories, watch movies, and have Seusstastic activities to go along with each book. **Min 10/Max 20 No Course Fee**

Around the House Science (2nd-5th grade) Schuetz
Science is all around us. We will explore the amazement of using science materials that are likely around your home. Each day will have 1-3 experiments along with brainstorming before, organizing materials, and reflecting at the end. **Min 10/Max 20 Course Fee \$3.00**

Cook Books 3: (3rd-5th grade) Sinz
Cook up some fun with this literature based cooking class. Enjoy some hands-on cooking experiences with step-by-step recipes inspired by award winning children's literature.

Min 10 /Max 16 Course Fee \$10.00

Make you own Music (3rd-5th grade) Watkins
Do you want to make your own music, but can't play instruments? This is the class for you! Students will explore various websites and practice the sounds of piano, guitar, drums, beatboxing and more! Students will then use the sounds that they have explored to create their own songs. No musical experience necessary. **Min 10 / Max 25 Course Fee \$5.00**

Folktales, Fairytales and Fables Oh My! (3rd-6th grade) Topp
Follow me on the road to exciting adventures! We will bring familiar fairy tales, folktales and fables alive through reading, projects, and activities. We will also read and watch different versions of each classic. **Min 10 / Max 20 Course Fee \$3.00**

Combo Sports (3rd-8th grade) Gehrke
If you love indoor/outdoor games that keep your body moving and energized, join our Combo Sports class! Learn to be a team player while having fun and getting exercise. There will be soccer, volleyball, relay races, and other fun games. **Min 10/ Max 25 No Fee**

Coding 3 (5th-8th) Whalen
Students will be using the coding program of Scratch to create games or activities. No prior coding skills required. **Min 10 / Max 25 No Course Fee**

Nature Art (4th-8th) Goebel
Create works of art with tools and materials given to us by the earth! We will use these natural materials to make artwork about the outdoors, in the outdoors. We will create stick weavings, make paintings with leaves, study environmental artists, and more!
Min 10 / Max 20 Course Fee \$8.00

Session Two - Two Weeks - 8 days - July 9th - July 19th

- Kindergarten Jumpstart: 8:00-12:00

The following classes are teacher recommendation only and will run from 8:00-12:00: **Min 8 / Max 15**

- Flying into 1st Grade - Reading and Math Fundamentals - Crede
- Soaring into 2nd Grade - Reading and Math Fundamentals - Watkins
- On our Way to 3rd Grade - Reading and Math Fundamentals - Backhaus
- Heading into 4th Grade - Reading and Math Fundamentals - Hingeveld
- Getting Ready for 5th Grade - Reading and Math Fundamentals - Topp
- Middle School Reading and Math Fundamentals (6th - 8th Grade) - Schomber

Summer School Registration Form

Please fill out **one form for each** student you are registering for and return it with payment (checks made out to WHSD - be sure to include child's full name in memo) for any courses to your student's school office. Classes will be on a first come, first serve basis so register online ASAP or get your registration form in early to guarantee your first pick.

Name: _____ Grade (entering in fall): _____

Address: _____ City/Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Parent(s) Name: _____

My child will be riding the bus: _____ Mazomanie _____ Black Earth

The school has permission to go on walking field trips along the Wolf Run Trail. _____
Initial

My child _____ has permission to participate in the Summer School Breakfast Program.

Please indicate which option your child can participate in:

_____ Milk Only _____ Breakfast

Please indicate which form of registration you would like.

_____ I have already enrolled my child in summer school ONLINE.

_____ I wish to enroll my child via this paper registration.

Total Fees Due: _____

Paper Registration Only: In case your class choices are already full, please provide an alternate choice for each period.

Period One: _____

Period Two: _____

Period Three: _____

****Please choose classes on next page***

Summer School Registration Form

- **Circle one** class from each column for Session One. Be sure when registering online you choose the correct class (especially those that have similar names like Cook Books 2 and Cook Books 3)
- Session Two is **only for students that received a Teacher Recommendation letter** with their summer school packet.

Session One - Three Weeks - 10 days - June 18th -July 3rd		
Kindergarten Jumpstart - Meets 8:00-12:00 - \$3.00		
Period One 8:00-9:15 Grade level / Class Title	Period Two 9:30-10:45 Grade level / Class Title	Period Three 10:45-12:00 Grade level / Class Title
1-3 Travel the World \$10.00 1-3 Reading Fun \$2.00 1-3 Mad About Music 2-4 Knifty Knitter \$4.00 2-4 Under the Water \$3.00 3-4 Inline Skating 1 \$20.00 3-5 Board Games & More 4-6 Journaling & Mindfulness \$1.00 5-8 Healthy Snacks \$12.00 5-8 Ceramics \$15.00 5-8 Reading and Recess	1-3 Math-a-Thon \$3.00 1-3 Cook Books 2 \$10.00 1-3 Blast off into Space 2-4 Summertime Crafts & Outside Activities \$7.00 2-4 Drawing and Painting \$10.00 3-5 Coding 2 3-5 STEM 2 \$5.00 5-8 Inline Skating 2 \$20.00 4-8 Famous Artists 2 \$10.00 5-8 Perler Beads \$6.00 5-8 Dig Deeper in Math	1-3 Famous Artists 3 \$10.00 1-3 Dr. Seuss 1-3 Marvelous Math 1-3 STEM 3 \$5.00 2-5 Around the House Science \$3.00 3-5 Cook Books 3 \$10.00 3-5 Make Your Own Music \$5.00 3-6 Folktales, Fairy Tales and Fables Oh MY! \$3.00 3-8 Combo Sports 5-8 Coding 3 4-8 Nature Art \$8.00
The classes listed below are also offered Session One by teacher recommendation only :		
1st Reading Fundamentals 2nd Reading Fundamentals 5th Reading Fundamentals 6-8 Reading Fundamentals	1st Math Fundamentals 2nd Math Fundamentals 3rd Reading Fundamentals 4th Reading Fundamentals	3rd Math Fundamentals 4th Math Fundamentals 5th Math Fundamentals 6-8 Math Fundamentals
Session Two - Two Weeks - 8 days - July 9th - July 19th		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● K- Jumpstart - Meets 8:00-12:00 (\$3.00 - if fee paid in session one no additional cost) The following classes are teacher recommendation only and will run from 8:00-12:00 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Flying into 1st Grade - Reading and Math Fundamentals ● Soaring into 2nd Grade - Reading and Math Fundamentals ● On our Way to 3rd Grade - Reading and Math Fundamentals ● Heading into 4th Grade - Reading and Math Fundamentals ● Getting Ready for 5th Grade - Reading and Math Fundamentals ● Middle School Reading and Math Fundamentals (6th - 8th Grade) 		

